

SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE

Economic Opportunity: The Labor and Employment Impact of Prop. 209
Friday, October 26, 2007 | UCLA Faculty Center
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8:00 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	<p>OPENING SESSION</p> <p>Welcome <i>Reynaldo Macias</i> Acting Dean, Division of Social Sciences, The UCLA College</p> <p><i>Eva Paterson</i> President, Equal Justice Society</p> <p>Access to Contracts: The State of MBEs and WBEs Post-209</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Robert W. Fairlie</i>, Professor of Economics, UC Santa Cruz • <i>Dave Keen</i>, Managing Director, BBC Research & Consulting and Consultant for Caltrans Study • <i>Tim Lohrentz</i>, Program Manager, National Economic Development and Law Center • <i>Bernida Reagan</i>, Director of Social Responsibility, Port of Oakland <p>Moderator: <i>Maria Blanco</i>, Executive Director, Warren Institute on Race, Ethnicity & Diversity, UC Berkeley School of Law</p>
11:00 a.m.	<p>Public Employment in California Post-209: A Case Study of the University of California</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Rosina Becerra</i>, Associate Vice Chancellor, Office of Faculty Diversity, UCLA • <i>Karume James</i>, Organizer, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME) • <i>Mandla Kayise</i>, University Relations Chair, UCLA Black Alumni Association and Co-Chair, Alliance for Equal Opportunity in Education • <i>Bob Laird</i>, Former UC Berkeley Director of Undergraduate Admission and Author of <u>The Case for Affirmative Action in University Admissions</u> <p>Moderator: <i>Darnell Hunt</i>, Director, Bunche Center for African American Studies, UCLA</p>
12:30 p.m.	<p>Lunch and Lunchtime Presentation “Compelling State Interest: A Contra-History of California Without Proposition 209”</p> <p><i>John William Templeton</i>, President and Executive Editor of eAccess Corp.</p>
1:30 p.m.	<p>The Opportunity Gap: Examining the Impact of 209 on Specific Communities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Justin Marion</i>, Assistant Professor of Economics, University of California Santa Cruz • <i>Monique Morris</i>, Senior Research Fellow, Thelton Henderson Center for Social Justice, UC Berkeley School of Law • <i>Paul Ong</i>, Professor, School of Public Affairs and Urban Planning, UCLA • <i>Michael Sumner</i>, Research Fellow, Thelton Henderson Center for Social Justice, UC Berkeley School of Law

	<p>Moderator: <i>Ruth Milkman</i>, Director, UCLA Institute for Research on Labor and Employment</p>
3:00 p.m.	<p>Combating 209 in the Courts: Innovative Legal Strategies to Challenge Prop. 209</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Sumi Cho</i>, Professor of Law, DePaul University College of Law • <i>Araceli Martinez-Olguin</i>, Women's Rights Project Fellow, American Civil Liberties Union • <i>Bradley Phillips</i>, Munger, Tolles & Olson LLP • <i>David Oppenheimer</i>, Professor of Law, Golden Gate University • <i>Christopher Westhoff</i>, Los Angeles Assistant City Attorney and Public Works General Counsel <p>Moderator: <i>Cheryl Harris</i>, Professor, UCLA School of Law</p>
4:30 p.m.	<p>Global Responses to Affirmative Action: The State of Equal Opportunity in Brazil, France, and the European Union</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Camila Morsch</i>, Associate Director and Senior Researcher, African American Policy Forum • <i>Marie-Christine Pauwels</i>, Associate Professor, Research Center on English and American Studies (CREA), University of Paris • <i>Sophie Robin-Olivier</i>, Professor of Law and Co-Director of the Center for European and Comparative Studies (CEJEC), University of Paris <p>Moderator: <i>Paule Cruz Takash</i>, Research Associate, UCLA North American Integration & Development (NAID) Center</p>
5:30 p.m.	<p>Reception and Screening of Documentary <i>Arise: The Battle Over Affirmative Action (Firelight Media)</i></p>
6:00 p.m.	<p>CLOSING SESSION</p> <p>Keynote Address <i>Thomas Saenz</i> Counsel to Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa, City of Los Angeles</p> <p>Impact of Prop. 209: The Future of Opportunity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Greg Akili</i>, Convener, Alliance for Equal Opportunity in Education and Senior Political/Community Organizer SEIU Local 1000 • <i>Ellen Buchman</i>, Field Director, Leadership Conference on Civil Rights • <i>Vincent Pan</i>, Executive Director, Chinese For Affirmative Action • <i>Thomas Saenz</i>, Counsel to Mayor Villaraigosa, City of Los Angeles <p>Moderator: <i>Eva Paterson</i>, President, Equal Justice Society</p>